

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: William Welch, et al	)	Confirmation No.: 2598
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Serial No.: 10/767,227	)	Examiner: Hieu T. Hoang
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Filing Date: 01/28/2004	)	Art Unit: 2152

For: SYSTEM FOR BANDWIDTH ALLOCATION IN A COMPUTER NETWORK

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Via EFS-Web  
Commissioner for Patents  
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**AMENDMENT AND REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION**

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed September 4, 2007, the shortened statutory period which runs until December 4, 2007 and for which a request for a one month extension of time to January 4, 2008 is hereby made along with the appropriate fee included herein. Please revise the subject application as indicated below.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.